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Swat the rat. Mr. Farmer, and let
the owl and the blacksnake alone.

Harding will have a front porch
campaign and Debs a front cell cam-
paign. Cox will have to be content
with a front rank campaign.

Former Premier Nitti of Italy says
all Europe and some of America is
suffering with shell shock. Guess he
came close to the exact truth.

Notwithstanding it was Sunday, we
will bet Wallace Stovall, cussed when
he saw the editorial page of Sun-
day's Tribune. Seems like the lino-
type men and the proof-readers en-
tered into a conspiracy.

But then, every justice of the peace
in Florida is a "judge," every editor
of a country newspaper a "colonel,"
and every one-horse preacher a "doc-
tor."—Miami Metropolis.

No worse in Florida than any other
state.

Joe Earman is back on the job. He
wrote for his Saturday morning pa-
per an interesting article on the hu-
bionic plague and how to prevent it.
Like all other readers of the Palm
Beach Post, we have missed his quaint
articles for the past few weeks.

Every member-elect of the next
legislature ought to be considering
some method of improving our pres-
ent primary law. It is one of the
things that should demand the very
best attention of our law-makers.
—Lakeland Telegram.

Best way to improve is to abolish it.

Aldermen Goldman and Simmons,
City Attorney Hoeker, Mr. L. H. Cha-
zal, secretary of the board of trade,
and Mr. W. T. Gary, representing the
Rotary Club, went before the board
of county commissioners this morn-
ing, to ask for help for the city in
building a white way around the
square.

Says the Lakeland Telegram: "The
fairness of newspaper men generally
is instanced by the favorable com-
ment on the work of Sidney J. Catts
Jr., in his efforts to build up the na-
tional guard, by the very newspapers
most antagonistic to his father.
Young Catts has made good and the
press of the state has not withheld
the generous credit due him."

A long article anent Albania ap-
peared in the Sunday issue of the Mi-
ami Herald. Sorry we haven't room
to reproduce it. A good deal of it

MICKIE SAYS:



would be news to the student of his-
tory. It doesn't agree with the En-
cyclopedia Britannica nor some other
standard works we have perused. We
hope the Herald will forgive us. Ever
since it declared that Alexander the
Great was an Albanian, we have had
a mean disposition to tease it.

Some lady, with meager powers of
observation, declares she has "not
met a well-groomed man south of At-
lanta," whereupon the Tribune refers
her to Clarence Woods of Eustis.
What's the matter with Harry Brown
of St. Augustine?—Lakeland Tele-
gram.

Clarence and Harry are brainy men
and have no time to waste parading
before women who size a man up by
his clothes.

The Bushnell Times pertinently
says: "Don't be too sure that the
people of the state will vote down
the state bond issue and for that rea-
son neglect to talk against it. There
is an organized effort to carry this
issue, and organization often wins
against what would otherwise be a
large majority. True the election
does not come off till November, but
it is time now to study the question
and analyze the seductive arguments
in behalf of the bond issue."

The St. Augustine Record says
that the Florida Automobile Associa-
tion was the first organization to en-
dorse the proposed amendment to the
state constitution, which if adopted
will make it possible for the state to
issue bonds for a state-wide system
of highways. If anybody starts an
honor roll of the newspapers sup-
porting the amendment, we claim the
Herald should head the list of small-
town weeklies, for it was for several
weeks we thought we stood alone and
would surely be smothered by the
big attacks from Tampa, Miami and
Jacksonville.—Punta Gorda Herald.

We think there were less than forty
members present at the meeting that
passed the resolution, and we can
find more auto owners right here in
Ocala that are opposed to the amend-
ment.

E. G. Naugle of the St. Petersburg
Times, after inspecting the business
end of an automatic held by a high-
wayman, who gently, but firmly, re-
lieved the aforesaid newspaper man
of \$300 in cash and a \$150 watch the
other night in Akron, Ohio, quietly
found his way back to Main street, to
which he confined his wandering dur-
ing the remainder of his stay in the
city. Naugle sure has us beat on
constitution. Should we have to fork
over a cool \$300 in cash to any high-
wayman, be he ever so gentle and
wame, we would as soon as he per-
mitted us to take our peepers off that au-
tomatic, turn our toes up to the little
twinkling stars. And we're afraid our
relatives would have to pay double
fare on our transportation home-
ward.—Orlando Reporter-Star.

That may be all right, but we'll bet
no highwayman ever takes \$300 off
of us.

The robbery of the express car on
No. 39 of the Atlantic Coast Line Fri-
day, was kept so quiet that few peo-
ple knew of it until next day. While
the train was between Baldwin and
Mitox, coming south, a masked rob-
ber suddenly appeared in one of the
express cars, so the messenger says,
covered him with a gun, bound and
gagged him, and then made his get-
away, carrying off \$6000. There was
also, the Times-Union says, \$60,000
in silver in the car, but the robber
either overlooked it or thought it too
heavy to carry. Probably the latter,
as \$60,000 in silver would weigh about
4000 pounds. The theft was discover-
ed when a negro assistant boarded
the car at Raiford. The express com-
pany has, with some reason, had Hol-
den, the express messenger, detained,
and with less reason the other mes-
senger and the negro helped held.
This is the second train robbery of
any extent in Florida, the first being
when the J. T. & K. W. "fast mail"
was held up near Sanford one night
twenty-eight years ago. The first
robbery had bloodshed connected with
it, however, an express messenger and
two of the robbers losing their lives.

The accusation of that self-con-
fessed bribe taker, Henry Lincoln
Johnson, negro "national committee-
man" from Georgia, is one that Geo-
rgians would promptly resent by lyn-
ching Johnson as soon as he returned to
Georgia, if they were half as bad as
he says they are. In one place, he
says that he has known negroes to be
lynched for voting the republican
ticket. He should be hauled up in
court and compelled to tell of the
negroes he has known to be lynched
for being republicans. He couldn't
give any testimony to save his life.
Almost fifty years ago, immediately
after the war, white democrats didn't
dare go to the polls in many parts
of the South, because the negroes,
instigated by disreputable carpet-
baggers, backed by federal troops,
threatened them with violence. This
was ended when President Grant,
much wiser than northern civilians,
withdrew the troops. Everybody who
lives in the South knows the southern
people expect negroes to be republi-
cans, and so far from persecuting
them for it say goodnaturedly that a
"democratic nigger" is no good. John-
son also says that many negro girls
were assaulted by soldiers at the
training camps during the war. We
doubt that he could prove a single
case, but if he could, what of it? The
men in the training camps were not
under control of the southern authori-

ties but under that of their own offi-
cers. What is more than that, two-
thirds of them were northern men.
These are obvious facts; nevertheless,
Johnson will find many believers
among those who want to believe him.

CITIZENS TAKE NOTICE
AND ACT ACCORDINGLY

Everybody is invited,
For we know you'll be delighted
At our park you won't be slighted
On Thursdays—afternoon.

At home your worries leave,
And you'll have no cause to grieve,
For a treat you will receive
On Thursdays—afternoon.

"Jake" is manager of the club,
So the ball park don't you snub,
Go and help them out the rub
On Thursdays—afternoon.

Matters not if they dispute,
Auto horns you loudly toot,
For the home team root, root root,
On Thursdays—afternoon.
—By Paul Berlack, Orlando.

RANDOM REMARKS

My girl, just be natural, and you'll
not have to "make yourself beau-
tiful."

It's no wonder marriage is a lot-
tery when so many people even meet
by chance.

Mighty few men would choose the
speed of the lizard over the strength
of the lion.

The fellow whose horns hurt every
time he has a headache certainly goes
to extremes.

The gallant Foch "cannot speak
your English language"—but he needn't
feel lonesome.

Any cook will tell you a boll on the
back of the stove is worth two on the
back of the neck.

Public life is full of tight places.
Many a big man comes out at the lit-
tle end of the horn.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES

Arrival and departure of passenger
trains at Ocala Union Station.
The following schedule figures pub-
lished as information and not guar-
anteed.

(Eastern Standard Time)

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILROAD
Leave Jacksonville-NY York 2:10 am
1:55 pm Jacksonville 1:30 pm
4:05 pm Jacksonville 4:35 pm
2:15 am Tampa
St. Petersburg 4:05 pm
2:15 am Tampa 2:15 am
1:50 pm Tampa-Manatee 1:35 pm
4:05 pm Tampa-St. Petersburg 4:05 pm

ATLANTIC COAST LINE R. R.
Leave Jacksonville-NY York 3:15 am
1:45 pm Jacksonville-Gainesville 3:35 pm
6:42 am Jacksonville-Gainesville 10:13 pm
3:15 am St. Petersburg-Lakeland 12:12 pm
3:35 pm St. Petersburg-Lakeland 1:25 pm
7:10 am *Dunellon-Wilcox
7:25 am **Dunellon-Lakeland 11:03 pm
3:25 pm Homosassa 1:30 pm
10:13 pm Leesburg 6:42 am
4:45 pm Gainesville 11:50 am
*Monday, Wednesday, Friday.
**Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.



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overhauled.

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and all work guar-
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WAS TOO FERVENT

Law Saw More Love Than Re-
ligion in Man's Kiss.

Exhaustive Legal Opinion by British
Judge Laid Down Fine Distinction
Between the Salute Amatory
and the Salute Religious.

The Islanders of Lewis, the island
in the western Hebrides, off the coast
of Scotland, which is coming so much
into prominence since its recent pur-
chase by the soap king, Lord Lever-
hulme, have many quaint customs, one
of which was strikingly revealed in
an action for divorce tried in court at
Edinburgh. The story is well told in
the judgment pronounced by Lord
Sands.

The action was at the instance of
Alexander Matheson, fisherman of
Portnaguran, Stormaway, against Mrs.
Isabella McLean or Matheson, 6 Port-
naguran, and against William Camp-
bell, merchant, 9 Portnaguran, as co-
defender. His lordship granted a de-
gree of divorce and found the co-
defender liable in expenses and \$40
damages.

His lordship said he thought it was
proved that, considering their previ-
ously distant relations, there was a
remarkable intimacy between defen-
der and codefender. The codefender
kissed the defender both when they
were alone and in her house before
her children. This in itself would
have been conclusive had it not been
for one circumstance. The defender
and the codefender were both members
of the United Free church. There was
evidence that could not be disregarded
that there was a certain practice of
kissing between communicants, though,
in deference probably to British ideas,
the salutation seemed to pass only be-
tween persons of opposite sexes. The
existence of such a practice seemed
somewhat startling, but his lordship
thought it was explained by the evi-
dence taken in relation to what was
a matter of public knowledge among
those conversant with religious con-
ditions in the highlands.

It had been the practice for only a
mere handful of the adherents of the
church to participate in communion, al-
though the communion season was a
far more solemn action in the high-
lands than in the lowlands.

Since the split in the Free church,
however, in 1900, the sections which
adhered to the United Free church had
tended to become much more like their
brethren in the soul, and thus it man-
ifested itself among other ways in
many younger persons becoming com-
municants. This caused an awkward
complication as regarded the kissing
custom. It might be all very well for
elderly saints to greet one another
with a chaste oriental salute, but it
was a different matter when it came to
young married women being promiscu-
ously kissed by casual male acquaint-
ances who happened to be fellow com-
municants. This extension of the cus-
tom was therefore disapproved of by
many, but to a certain extent the cus-
tom prevailed. Such being the state
of matters, the kissing indulged in
by the parties to this case had not
the conclusive character of undue fa-
miliarity.

It was proved that the codefender did
more than kiss the defender; he also
put his arms around her, a fact which
he admitted. His lordship felt that re-
ligious custom did not justify this ex-
tension of the embrace.

Egyptian Women Are Serfs.

The treatment of women in Egypt
is the darkest phase of Egyptian life,
says G. N. Barnes, British member of
parliament, who recently returned
from a tour of that country.

The men in Egypt, says Mr. Barnes,
so far as sex relations are concerned,
think themselves the lords of creation.
They can divorce their wives at will,
without whim or reason, and it is not
uncommon for a man to have three
wives.

"In many houses," continues Mr.
Barnes, "I never saw a woman, and
you can take it from me that the posi-
tion of the women in Egypt is abso-
lutely one of serfdom and dependence.
They spend their lives in miserable
hovels, in working in the adjoining
fields or in getting water.

"They are the serfs of the men and
as much beasts of burden as the don-
key and the camel. A people which
uses women folk in that way are des-
tined to be a subject race and do not
deserve to govern."

A Politician.

A woman hater I knew was quite a
politician and once while running for
a much coveted office, was desirous of
getting the women's votes. He sud-
denly became courteous to all women
of voting age and not only was suc-
cessful in getting their votes but mar-
ried one.—Chicago Tribune.

Charter No. 9926

Reserve District No. 6

Report of Condition of the

OCALA NATIONAL BANK

At Ocala, in the State of Florida, at the Close of Business on June 30, 1920

RESOURCES

1. (a) Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, (except those shown in b and c).....	\$363,817.77	
*Total loans	363,817.77	\$363,817.77
2. Overdrafts, unsecured, \$268.67	268.67	
3. U. S. Government securities owned:		
(a) Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	75,000.00	
(d) Pledged as collateral for state or other de- posits or bills payable	38,000.00	
(f) Owned and unpledged	208,772.76	
(h) War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned	1,648.00	
Total U. S. Government securities		328,420.76
4. Other bonds, securities, etc.:		
(b) Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure postal savings deposits	5,000.00	
(c) Bonds and securities (other than U. S. secu- rities) pledged as collateral for state or other deposits (postal excluded) or bills payable	12,000.00	
(e) Securities other than U. S. bonds (not in- cluding stocks owned and unpledged)	211,139.99	
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.		228,139.99
5. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank, (50 per cent of subscription)		2,700.00
6. (a) Value of banking house, owned and unin- cumbered	32,380.60	32,380.60
10. Furniture and fixtures		4,619.40
11. Real estate owned other than banking house ..		2,383.62
12. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank ..		46,691.82
14. Cash in vault and net amounts due from na- tional banks		127,283.96
15. Net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 12, 13 or 14)		1,264.49
16. Exchanges for clearing house		4,084.40
Total of Items 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17	132,632.85	
18. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items		1,301.73
19. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		4,750.00
20. Interest earned but not collected (approximate) on notes and bills receivable not past due ..		3,500.00
TOTAL		\$1,146,607.21

LIABILITIES

22. Capital stock paid in	\$ 75,000.00	
23. Surplus fund	15,000.00	
24. (a) Undivided profits	36,970.19	
(b) Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	25,264.20	11,705.99
25. Interest and discount collected or credited in ad- vance of maturity and not earned (approx- imate)		3,470.00
28. Circulating notes outstanding		75,000.00
29. Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding ..		12,836.49
Total of Items 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33		12,836.49
Demand Deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
34. Individual deposits subject to check		491,086.09
36. State, county or other municipal deposits secur- ed by pledge of assets of this bank		10,588.40
38. Dividends unpaid		20.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, Items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39		501,694.49
Time Deposits Subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
40. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		34,095.33
42. Postal savings deposits		1,287.94
43. Other time deposits		416,516.47
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 40, 41, 42 and 43		451,900.24
TOTAL		\$1,146,607.21

*Of the total loans and discounts shown above, the amount on which in-
terest and discount was charged at rates in excess of those permitted by
law (Sec. 5197 Rev. Stat.) (exclusive of notes upon which total charge not
to exceed 50 cents was made) was, None. The number of such loans was,
None.

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF MARION, ss:

I, H. D. Stokes, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear
that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
H. D. STOKES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me Correct—Attest:
this 10th day of July, 1920. JNO. L. EDWARDS,

(Seal) Frank G. Churchill, J. E. CHACE,
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